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SUBJ: AID DISCUSSIONS

REF: (A) MEMCON (JUMBE-CARTER MEETING) APRIL 21; (B) ZANZIBAR 0181

1. COUNTRY AID DIRECTOR JOHNSON AND MYSELF MET EVENING OF AUGUST 22 WITH FIRST VP JUMBE REGARDING POSSIBILITIES OF EXTENDING ASPECTS OF US COUNTRY AID PROGRAM IN TANZANIA TO INCLUDE ZANZIBAR. MEETING ALSO ATTENDED BY DEPUTY MINISTER OF STATE ALI MWINYIGOGO, CHAIRMAN OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION DR. SULIEMAN MNOGA, AND OFFICIALS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.

2. MEETING, ESSENTIALLY EXPLORATORY IN NATURE, WAS INTENDED AS FOLLOW ON TO EARLIER DISCUSSIONS (REFERENCED MEMCON AND PREVIOUS) BUT DEALT LARGELY WITH SPECIFIC USAID PROGRAMS AND THEIR POSSIBLE APPLICABILITY TO ZANZIBAR IN AREAS OF MAIN CONCERN TO JUMBE: AGRICULTURE (INCLUDING ANIMAL HUSBANDRY) AND HEALTH.

3. JUMBE LED OFF BY OUTLINING SEVERAL PROBLEM AREAS: CONTINUING POOR YIELDS IN RICE (11 BAGS OR LESS PER ACRE COMPARED TO 30-50 ON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MAINLAND AND ELSEWHERE) AND IN OTHER MAJOR CROPS INCLUDING MAIZE AND

OTHER CEREALS; PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED IN EXPANDING LIVESTOCK (CATTLE) PROGRAMS; AND NEED TO IMPROVE EXISTING SEED VARIETIES AND IF POSSIBLE TO REVIVIFY ZANZIBAR'S AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH FACILITIES AT KIZIMBANI. RE HEALTH, JUMBE ALSO SPOKE OF NEED FOR ACCELERATED EXPANSION OF RURAL HEALTH FACILITIES.

4. AFTER OUTLINING RANGE OF PROGRAM POSSIBILITIES IN AREAS OF AGRICULTURE AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, TRAINING, RESEARCH, AND HEALTH (MCH), DR. JOHNSON STATED THAT USAID WOULD UPON RECEIPT OF FORMAL REQUEST FROM GOZ BE PREPARED TO EXPLORE ASSISTANCE POSSIBILITIES BUT NOTED THAT KEY PREREQUISITE WOULD BE COORDINATION BETWEEN ZANZIBAR AND RELEVANT MAINLAND MINISTRIES. JUMBE PLANNED TO LEAVE AUGUST 23 FOR DAR ES SALAAM, SAID HE WOULD PERSONALLY CONTACT MINISTERS OF HEALTH AND AGRICULTURE, AND INDICATED HE FORESAW NO DIFFICULTY IN MAKING NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS TO HAVE ZANZIBAR'S INTERESTS CONSIDERED ON FAIR SHARE BASIS.

5. WE RAISED BRIEFLY CONTINUING PROBLEM OF CLOVE TREE DISEASES AND FLOATED POSSIBILITY THAT U.S. PLANT PATHOLOGIST MIGHT BE MADE AVAILABLE TO STUDY PROBLEM. (COMMENT: JUMBE'S NON-COMMITTAL REPLY MAY HAVE REFLECTED VIEW THAT PROBLEM HAS BEEN RESEARCHED ENOUGH AND THAT FURTHER ANALYSIS WILL PROVIDE NO SIGNIFICANT BREAKTHROUGH IN DEALING WITH PROBLEM).

6. NEAR END OF MEETING, JUMBE DIRECTED MNOGA TO ARRANGE WORKING LEVEL MEETING FOLLOWING MORNING TO DISCUSS PARTICULARS AT GREATER LENGTH. THIS MEETING SUMMARIZED PARA 8 BELOW.

7. AS WE WERE LEAVING, JUMBE ASKED TO CONFIRM THAT I HAD RECEIVED THE GOZ REPRESENTATION RE NEED TO OBTAIN TWO EXPERTS FOR TVZ. I OUTLINED MY CONVERSATION WITH MINISTER OF STATE (REF B) AND AGAIN STRESSED THAT, WHILE I HOPED IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE FOR USG TO EXTEND SOME FORMS OF ASSISTANCE IN AREAS WE HAD BEEN DISCUSSING, THERE WAS NO CHANCE OF USG TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ON TELEVISION. HE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THIS. I ENDED BY NOTING THAT WE HAD ALREADY INITIATED EFFORTS TO TRY TO IDENTIFY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL WHO COULD BE ENGAGED DIRECTLY BY GOZ.

8. FOLLOWUP MEETING AUGUST 23, CHAIRED BY MNOGA, INCLUDED DEPUTY CHAIRMAN FOR HEALTH AND TECHNICIANS FROM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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